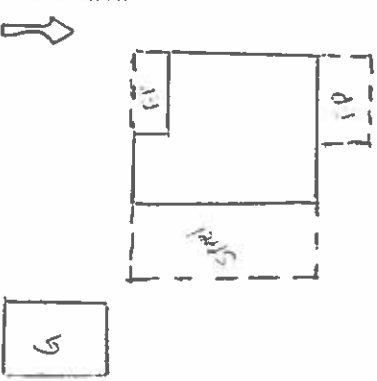


<p>COLORADO HISTORICAL SOCIETY Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation 1300 Broadway Denver, CO 80203</p> <p>HISTORIC BUILDING INVENTORY</p>		<p>SITE NO.: 5ME8480</p>
<p>COUNTY: Mesa CITY: Grand Junction</p>		<p>Eligible for National Register <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no date _____ initials _____ Criteria <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D Contributes to a potential National Register district <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no district name: _____</p>
<p>HISTORIC BUILDING NAME: Smith, Harold A., House</p>		<p>Eligible for State Register <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no date _____ initials _____ Criteria <input type="checkbox"/> a <input type="checkbox"/> b <input type="checkbox"/> c <input type="checkbox"/> d <input type="checkbox"/> e Areas of significance: _____</p>
<p>CURRENT BUILDING NAME:</p>		<p>Period of significance _____ Needs data ___ date _____ initials _____</p>
<p>ADDRESS: 911 Teller Ave., Grand Junction, CO 81501</p>		<p>LOCAL LANDMARK DESIGNATION: [] yes [X] no Date of designation: N/A Designating authority: N/A</p>
<p>OWNER NAME & ADDRESS: Frances E. Patton, PO Box 122, Grand Junction, CO 81502-0122</p>		<p>P.M.: UTE township: 1S range:1W NE ¼ of SE ¼ of NW¼ of NE¼ of section 14</p>
<p>STYLE: Bungalow</p>		<p>UTM REFERENCE-12 Easting: 711350 Northing: 4327770</p>
<p>BUILDING TYPE:</p>		<p>USGS QUAD NAME: Grand Junction Year: 1962; photorevised 1973 [X] 7.5' [] 15'</p>
<p>MATERIALS: Concrete Foundation - Wood Frame - Vinyl Siding - Asphalt Shingle Roof</p>		<p>Block: 25 Lot(s): 3 and 4 Addition: Year of addition:</p>
<p>STORIES: 1 SQUARE FOOTAGE: 642</p>		<p>[X] original location [] moved Date of moves(s): _____</p>
<p>PLAN SHAPE:</p>		<p>HISTORIC USE: Domestic PRESENT USE: Domestic</p>
<p>north arrow </p>		<p>DATE OF CONSTRUCTION- estimate: 1928 actual: Source of information: Tax Assessor's Records</p>
		<p>ARCHITECT: Unknown Source of information:</p>
		<p>BUILDER/CONTRACTOR: Unknown Source of information:</p>
		<p>ORIGINAL OWNER: Roy L. Baker Source of information: Lot and Block Books</p>
		<p>ASSOCIATED BUILDINGS- [X] yes [] no Type: Garage</p>

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION: One story with front gable roof. Foundation skirted with clapboard aluminum siding. Concrete steps with wrought iron railings lead to gabled sunporch/entry that extends across the west half of the facade. Porch half-wall has clapboard aluminum siding down to ground level. Porch fully glazed, with metal sash windows with screens. Metal frame screen door with transom. Front door glazed with black metal grille. Windows around house are double hung, wood sash, one-over-one, with wood storm windows. Light gray clapboard vinyl siding. Window frames are white. Window surrounds are light gray and storms are black. Bargeboards are black. Corrugated shed roof carport, supported by five full height squared posts, extends from the east elevation. House has gray composition roof shingles with boxed eaves. Brick chimney on east slope.

Yard with two large mature trees along west side of lot. Small evergreen in front yard. Young tree with flower beds on east side of lot. Chain-link fence with gate on west side of lot.

One car garage in rear with front gable, gray composition roof shingles, and white false bevel siding.

PHOTOGRAPHS (include photographs showing each side of building and any associated buildings)

Film roll no.: 30
 Negative no.: 18

Photographer: Carolyn Howard
 Location of negatives: City Of Grand Junction

CONSTRUCTION HISTORY (include description and dates of major additions, alterations, or demolitions): Siding. Additional construction or modifications not noted in Assessor's records.

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND (discuss important persons and events associated with this building): Ruth and Roy L. Baker, a packer at Mesa Flour Mill, were the first owners/tenants of the house, ca. 1927-1929. Elsie and Harold Smith, a signalman for the Denver and Rio Grande Railway, were the owners/occupants, ca. 1930-1939. The house then served as a rental through at least 1951, with such tenants as a salesman, a clerk, and Clifford Norton, Deputy County Assessor, ca. 1941.

INFORMATION SOURCES (be specific): Plat Map, Appraisal Card, Lot and Block Books, Grand Junction City Directories.

SIGNIFICANCE (check appropriate categories)

Architectural significance:
 represents the work of a master
 possess high artistic value
 represents a type, period, or method of construction

National Register eligibility:
 Individual yes no
 Criteria: A B C D
 Area(s) of significance: Architecture

Period of significance: 1928

Historical significance:
 associated with significant person(s)
 associated with significant event
 associated with a pattern of events
 contributes to an historic district

Contributes to a potential district:
 yes no
 District name:

THEME(S):

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (briefly justify the significance checked above): The porch glazing matches the original windows of the house. Although not eligible for the National Register, this house may contribute to a local register.

INVENTORY COMPLETED BY: Museum Group Staff

DATE: 5/31/96

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